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TO: Mayor John Dennis

City Council Members

West Lafayette Police Merit Commission Members

FR: Chief Jason Dombkowski

RE: March 2013 Monthly Report

During the month of March, the West Lafayette Police Department received **2233 calls for service**, a decrease of 170 calls (7%) from February, and an increase of 298 calls (15%) from March 2012.

On March 10th, Officers Jeffrey Dunscomb and David Smith rescued a man from the bottom of the swimming pool at Williamsburg on the Wabash Apartments. The officers resuscitated the rescued victim and he is expected to make a full recovery. Both officers have been nominated for Police Merit Commission awards and American Red Cross life saving awards.

During spring break for the WLCSC and Purdue University, officers from the WLPD and PUPD joined WLFD firefighters for two days of active shooter training at Cumberland Elementary School. Additional joint training on this topic is scheduled at other school campuses later this year.

On March 19th, over 175 Happy Hollow School 5th graders graduated from the WLPD DARE program at a well attended ceremony. The DARE program has been recently expanded to include topics on bullying and personal safety. DARE Officer Janet Winslow will instruct these 5th graders again when they are 7th graders at the West Lafayette Jr. High School.

This past month, Officer Jeffery Spicer was honored by Drive Sober Inc., formerly MADD of Tippecanoe County, as the WLPD's '2012 Top Cop' for the most Operating While Intoxicated arrests in the department in 2012.

Respectfully submitted,

Jason Dombkowski Chief of Police